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GOV. EASLEY APPOINTS CHASTAIN TO DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING COUNCIL

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley has appointed **Alice V. Chastain** of Winston-Salem to the North Carolina Council for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

Chastain is an audiologist and hearing impaired program coordinator for Davidson County Schools. She received her Bachelor's degree in speech pathology and her Master's degree in audiology from UNC at Greensboro.

The council makes recommendations to the secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services for cost-effective provisions, coordination and improvement of services to people who are deaf, hard of hearing, or deaf and blind. There are 28 members on the board, each serving a four-year term. The governor appoints 20 members. The secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services appoints four members. The Senate President Pro Tempore and the Speaker of the House each appoint two members.

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